

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Appl No. : 10/524,954
Applicant : David Opie et al.
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Title : MEDICAL IMPLANTS
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Commissioner for Patents
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Commissioner:

Applicant petitions the Commissioner to extend the time for response to the Office action dated March 5, 2009 for two months from June 5, 2009 to August 5, 2009.

The fee for extension of time required by 37 CFR § 1.17 is calculated below.

CALCULATION OF FEE			
LENGTH OF EXTENSION	SMALL ENTITY	LARGE ENTITY	FEE
WITHIN FIRST MONTH	\$ 65	\$ 130	\$0
WITHIN SECOND MONTH	\$ 245	\$ 490	\$490

The extension fee will be paid via credit card. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required during the **entire pendency** of the application to Deposit Account No. 50-4407. Please show our docket number with any charge or credit to our Deposit Account.

Respectfully submitted,

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